

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held January 16, 2007, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"The month of January is recognized across the country as 'National Mentoring Month.' For foster children and children in the delinquency system, a mentor could make all the difference in helping them overcome the significant challenges they face. National studies clearly indicate that these children benefit tangibly from the presence of a mentor in their lives, to support, love and encourage them. I urge anyone who is thinking about how they can contribute meaningfully to our society to get involved by mentoring a foster child or a child in the delinquency system."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, the Board declared January 2007 as "National Mentoring Month," and encouraged all Department/District Heads to increase awareness among County employees of the opportunities available to mentor a foster child or a child in the delinquency system.

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